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Senate Resolution 1469

By: Senators Ramsey, Sr. of the 43rd, Buckner of the 44th, Brown of the 26th, Henson of the 41st and Butler of the 55th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending the Rockdale County Democratic Party; and for other
- 2 purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, the Rockdale County Democratic Party advocates shared values of honesty,
- 4 openness, social responsibility, and caring for others in the community as its guiding
- 5 principles; and
- 6 WHEREAS, the Rockdale County Democratic Party has demonstrated a dedication to the
- 7 economic, political, and social growth of the Rockdale County community; and
- 8 WHEREAS, this outstanding organization, under the dynamic leadership of Chairman Stan
- 9 Williams, First Vice Chairperson Elaine Davis-Nickens, Second Vice Chairperson Carol
- 10 Copeland, Third Vice Chairperson Gwendolyn Anderson, Treasurer Doreen Williams, and
- 11 Secretary Sherri Washington, has undertaken many positive and successful outreach
- 12 programs that have helped to make Rockdale County one of Georgia's most successful
- 13 county parties; and
- 14 WHEREAS, the Rockdale County Democratic party has worked cooperatively with civic,
- 15 education, and religious organizations county-wide to promote a sense of shared community;
- 16 and
- WHEREAS, the Rockdale County Democratic Party advocates partnership and teamwork
- among all political parties to provide common information and services to Rockdale citizens;
- 19 and
- 20 WHEREAS, with a focus on collaboration, the Rockdale County Democratic Party works
- 21 diligently with neighboring counties to benefit citizens in the eastern corridor of Georgia
- 22 with similar opportunities and needs; and

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23 WHEREAS, on Saturday, April 24, 2010, the Rockdale County Democratic Party is

- 24 commended for hosting its second annual black tie GALA to celebrate community service
- and to honor excellence in education, business, health and human services, government, and
- 26 the faith based community in Rockdale County and beyond; and
- 27 WHEREAS, with the theme of "One Community-One Goal," the GALA honors local,
- 28 regional, and national individuals and groups who have distinguished themselves in service
- 29 to their constituents; and
- 30 WHEREAS, proceeds from this amazing event funds the Rockdale County Democratic
- 31 Party's first scholarship for a student from each of the county's three high schools, activities
- 32 throughout the year that uplift Rockdale citizens through effective community service, and
- 33 meaningful partnerships with neighboring counties.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 35 commend the Rockdale County Democratic Party for its continued support of Rockdale
- 36 County's children and communities.
- 37 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 38 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Rockdale County Democratic Party.